

lars for each day, the tax to be paid before the exhibition, and if not to be doubled.

Theatres, &c.

5. Upon every person or company exhibiting in the town or within one mile thereof, stage or theatrical plays, sleight-of-hand performances, rope-dancing, tumbling, wire-dancing or menagerie, a tax not exceeding twenty-five dollars for every day they exhibit.

Curiosities, &c.

6. Upon every exhibition for reward of artificial curiosities (models of useful inventions excepted) in the town or in one mile thereof, a tax not exceeding ten dollars, to be paid in advance.

Shows, &c.

7. Upon each show or exhibition of any other kind, and on each concert for reward, and on every strolling musician, a tax not exceeding ten dollars, to be paid before exhibiting.

Stock running at large.

8. Upon every goat, hog or cow running at large in the town, there may be levied a tax not exceeding five dollars, and every such goat, hog or cow may be seized or impounded, and if the owner on being notified shall not pay the tax, the animal shall be sold therefor, after three days notice at the court-house.

Horses, &c.

9. Upon every horse or mule or bull going at large, a tax not exceeding five dollars.

Sale of liquor.

10. On every license to sell wines, cordials, malt and spirituous liquors, a tax not to exceed five hundred dollars, reserving the right in each instance to levy a tax on wines, malt and spirituous liquors as merchandise.

Taxes, how levied

SEC. 34. That taxes for town purposes shall be levied on all real and personal property, trades, licenses and other subjects of taxation as provided in section three, article five of the State constitution. That all moneys arising from taxes, donations or other sources shall be paid to the treasurer, and no appropriation thereof shall be made but by a board constituted of a majority of all the commissioners.

Appropriation of taxes.

Streets.

SEC. 35. That the board of commissioners shall have power to grade, macadamize and pave the streets and sidewalks, and to lay out and open new streets, or widen those already opened, and make such improvements thereon as the public convenience may require.

Condemnation of land.

That when any land or right of way shall be required for the purpose of opening new streets, or for widening those already open, or for other objects allowed by this charter, and for want of agreement as to the value thereof the same cannot be purchased from the owner or owners, the same may be taken at a valuation to be made by three freeholders of the town, to be chosen by the commissioners: and in making said valuation, said freeholders, after being duly sworn by the mayor, or a justice of the peace, or clerk of a court of record, shall take into consideration the loss or damage which may accrue to the owner in consequence of the land or right of way being surrendered, also any benefit or advantage such owner may receive from the opening or widening such streets or other improvement, and ascertain the sum which shall be paid to the owner of the said prop-